

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this **INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT** is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner of Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on April 29, 2002.

By: Amanda L. Amato

Amanda L. Amato

Date: April 29, 2002

**PATENT
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF : John Alex Leonard, et al.
FOR : **METHOD AND DEVICE FOR PRODUCING
AQUEOUS IODINE AND OTHER
HALOGEN SOLUTIONS**
SERIAL NO. : 10/059,577
FILED : January 29, 2002
EXAMINER : Unknown
ART UNIT : 1723
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. : EPE 2 0012

RECEIVED
MAY 8 2002
TC 1700

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Assistant Commissioner:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97, 1.98 and MPEP § 609, applicant(s) submit(s) the following Disclosure Statement concerning art of which the applicant(s) is (are) aware. A copy of PTO-1449 is enclosed herewith.

This Information Disclosure Statement is not intended to constitute an admission that any patent, publication or other information referred to herein or submitted herewith is "prior art" for this invention unless specifically designated as such.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(g) and (h), the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement shall not be construed to mean that a search has been made or that no other material information as defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.56(b) exists.

Under § 1.98(a)(3), no concise explanation of relevance is required for information that is in the English language. Accordingly, the enclosed patent requires no further explanation.



U.S. Serial No. 10/059,577
Attorney Docket No. EPE 2 0012

Consideration of the following paragraph is respectfully requested:

[X] **WITHIN THREE MONTHS OF FILING:** Under § 1.97(b)(1), this information disclosure statement is being filed within three months of the filing date of the application. Although it is believed no fee is necessary, any deficiency in fees should be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

It is respectfully requested that the attached document(s) be considered and officially cited in examination of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

FAY, SHARPE, FAGAN,
MINNICH & McKEE, LLP


Sandra M. Koenig,
Reg. No. 33,722
1100 Superior Avenue, Seventh Floor
Cleveland, Ohio 44114-2518
(216) 861-5582

RECEIVED

MAY 8 2002

TC 1700

N:\EPE\20012\ALA0977A.WPD